

FORM 6 (ND/SD Miss. Dec. 2016)

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

**Tobias Ward and Teresa Ward**,  
individually and as parents and next friends  
of T.W., their minor child; **T.W.**, a minor  
child; **Ronald Brookshire and Debra**  
**Brookshire**, individually and as parents and  
next friends of Ai.B and Ao.B., their minor  
children, and D.S., Debra's minor child;  
**Ai.B.**, a minor child; **Ao.B.**, a minor child;  
**D.S.**, a minor child; **Amy Spencer**,  
individually and as parent and next friend of  
Ax.E and Ah.E., her minor children; **Ax.E**, a  
minor child; and **Ah.E.**, a minor child,

Plaintiffs,

CIVIL ACTION  
No. 1:17-cv-00187-HSO-JCG

v.

**Philana Harrell**, in her personal capacity;  
**Kimmerce Fairley**, in her personal capacity;  
**Carolyn O'Banner**, in her personal  
capacity; **Denise Krum**, in her personal  
capacity; **Lana Hoda**, in her personal  
capacity; **Shirease Anderson**, in her  
personal capacity; **Joy Richardson Harris**,  
in her personal capacity; **Mary Louis**  
**Castello**, in her personal capacity; **Patricia**  
**Burleson**, in her personal capacity; **Anita**  
**Twiner**, in her personal capacity; **Angela**  
**Fountain**, in her personal capacity; **Angela**  
**Bower**, in her personal capacity,

Defendants

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

(A) Name:	<u>Darren A. Jones</u>		
Firm Name:	<u>Home School Legal Defense Association</u>		
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(B) Client(s): Tobias Ward, Teresa Ward, and T.W., a minor  
 Address: 2055 Hwy 138  
 City: Riverdale State: GA Zip: 30296  
 Telephone: (678) 834-3364 Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Client(s): Ronald Brookshire, Debra Brookshire, Ai.B., Ao.B., and D.S. minors  
 Address: 518 Olde Rose Court  
 City: Riverdale State: GA Zip: 30274  
 Telephone: (561) 255-3154 Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Client(s): Amy Spencer, Ax.E., and Ah.E., minors  
 Address: 3164 Belfour Lane  
 City: Atlanta State: GA Zip: 30331  
 Telephone: (561) 729-5305 Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

The following information is optional:

Have you had a prior or continuing representation in other matters of one or more of the clients you propose to represent, and is there a relationship between those other matter(s) and the proceeding for which you seek admission?

No.

Do you have any special experience, expertise, or other factor that you believe makes it particularly desirable that you be permitted to represent the client(s) you propose to represent in this case?

(C) I am admitted to practice in the:

  X   State of California  
  X   District of Columbia

and am currently in good standing with that Court. A certificate to that effect, issued by the appropriate licensing authority within ninety days of the date of this Application, is enclosed; the physical address, telephone number and website/email address for that admitting Court are:

California Supreme Court Address: 350 McAllister Street, San Francisco, CA 94102  
 Phone: (415) 865-7000 Website: [www.courts.ca.gov/supremecourt.htm](http://www.courts.ca.gov/supremecourt.htm)

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All other courts before which I have been admitted to practice:

Jurisdiction	Period of Admission
California Supreme Court	July 2000-present
U.S. Supreme Court	May 2007-present
U.S. District Court, Northern District of California	May 2005-present
U.S. District Court, Central District of California	October 2014-present
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit	July 2006-present
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit	October 2004-present
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit	December 2010-present
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit	April 2005-present

- |  | Yes                      | No                                  |
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| (D) Have you been denied admission pro hac vice in this state?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Have you had admission pro hac vice revoked in this state?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Has Applicant been formally disciplined or sanctioned by any court in this state in the last five years? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

If the answer was "yes," describe, as to each such proceeding, the nature of the allegations, the name of the person or authority bringing such proceedings; the dates the proceedings were initiated and finally concluded; the style of the proceedings; and the findings made and actions taken in connection with those proceedings:

- |   | Yes                      | No                                  |
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| (E) Has any formal, written disciplinary proceeding ever been brought against you by a disciplinary authority in any other jurisdiction within the last five years? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

If the answer was "yes," describe, as to each such proceeding, the nature of the allegations; the name of the person or authority bringing such proceedings; the date the proceedings were initiated and finally concluded; the style of the proceedings; and the findings made and actions taken in connection with those proceedings.



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|  | Yes                      | No                                  |
| (F) Have you been formally held in contempt or otherwise sanctioned by any court in a written order in the last five years for disobeying its rules or orders? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

If the answer was "yes," describe, as to each such order, the nature of the allegations, the name of the court before which such proceedings were conducted; the date of the contempt order or sanction, the caption of the proceedings, and the substances of the court's rulings (a copy of the written order or transcript of the oral rulings must be attached to the application).

- (G) Please identify each proceeding in which you have filed an application to proceed pro hac vice in this state within the preceding two years, as follows:

Name and Address of Court	Date of Application	Outcome of Application

- (H) Please identify each case in which you have appeared as counsel pro hac vice in this state within the immediately preceding twelve months, are presently appearing as counsel pro hac vice, or have pending applications for admission to appear pro hac vice, as follows:

Name and Address of Court	Style of Case

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|   | Yes                                 | No                       |
| (I) Have you read and become familiar with all the LOCAL UNIFORM CIVIL RULES OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS FOR THE NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN DISTRICTS OF MISSISSIPPI? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Have you read and become familiar with the MISSISSIPPI RULES OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT?   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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- (J) Please provide the following information about the resident attorney who has been associated for this case:

Name and Bar No: D. Scott Gibson (Bar No. 8460)

Firm Name: D. Scott Gibson, Attorney at Law


Office Address: 527 S. Magnolia Dr.

City: Wiggins State MS Zip 39577

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E-Mail: scott@dscottgibsonlaw.com

- (K) The undersigned resident attorney certifies that he/she agrees to the association with Applicant in this matter and to the appearance as attorney of record with Applicant.

  
Resident Attorney

I certify that the information provided in this Application is true and correct.

7/10/2017  
Date

  
Applicant's Handwritten Signature


**Unless exempted by Local Rule 83.1(d)(5), the application fee established by this Court must be enclosed with this Application.**

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### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned Applicant certifies that a copy of this Application for Admission Pro Hac Vice has been mailed or otherwise served on this date on all parties who have appeared in this case.

This the 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2017.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Resident Attorney



## Supreme Court of California

JORGE E. NAVARRETE  
*Court Administrator and Clerk of the Supreme Court*


**CERTIFICATE OF THE CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT**  
**OF THE**  
**STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

**DARREN AUGUST JONES**

*I, JORGE E. NAVARRETE, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of California, do hereby certify that DARREN AUGUST JONES, #207966, was on the 6th day of July, 2000, duly admitted to practice as an attorney and counselor at law in all the courts of this state, and is now listed on the Roll of Attorneys as a member of the bar of this state in good standing.*

*Witness my hand and the seal of the court  
on the 3rd day of July, 2017.*

JORGE E. NAVARRETE  
*Clerk of the Supreme Court*

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
*J. Hunter, Senior Deputy Clerk*



District of Columbia Court of Appeals  
Committee on Unauthorized Practice of Law  
430 E Street, N.W. — Room 123  
Washington, D. C. 20001  
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*I, JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, do hereby certify that*

**DARREN AUGUST JONES**

*was on **FEBRUARY 4, 2013** duly qualified and admitted as an attorney and counselor entitled to practice before this Court and is, on the date indicated below, an active member in good standing of this Bar.*

*In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of this Court at the City of Washington, D.C., on **JULY 13, 2017**.*

JULIO A. CASTILLO  
Clerk of the Court

By: *Monette Lane*  
Deputy Clerk